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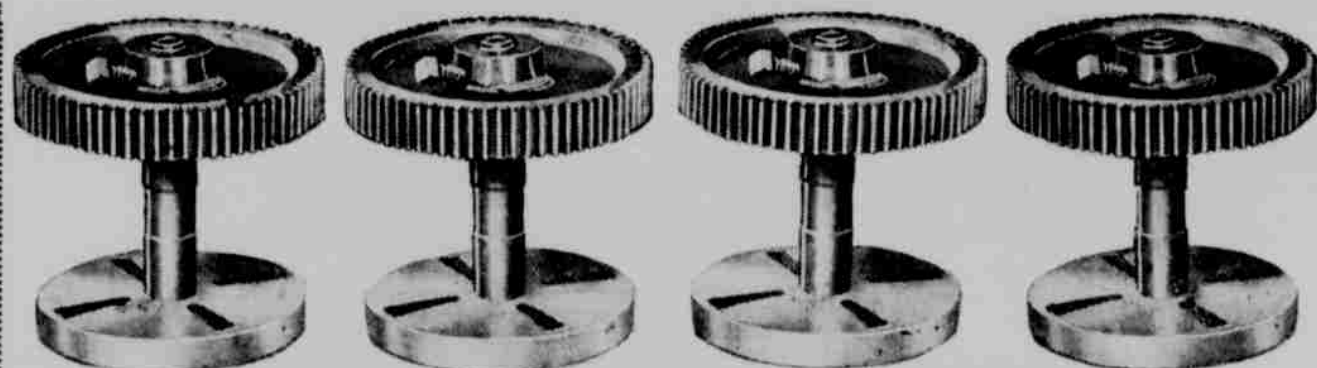
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Greater Economy
Greater Power
Greater Speed
No Valves to Grind
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Positive Valve Action
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Less Noise—
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The Trouble Killer
That's the "Guy"

12 Parts

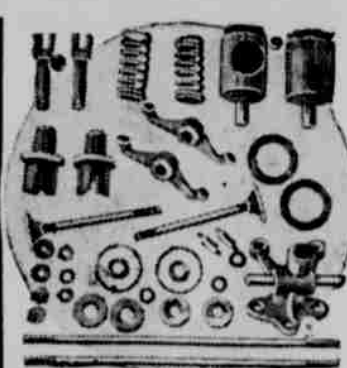
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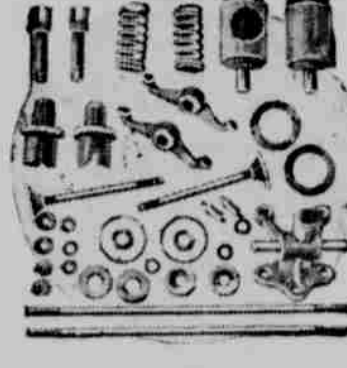


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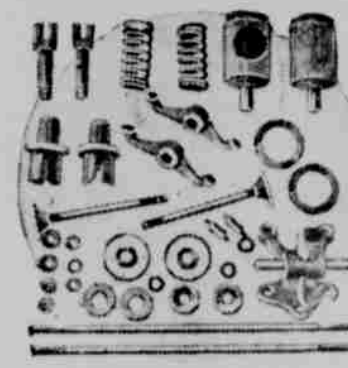
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Rotary Valve Motor—ONLY 12 PARTS



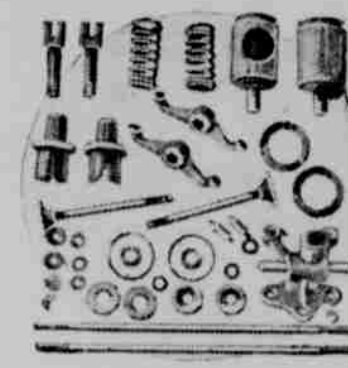
37 Parts
Per Cylinder



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148 PARTS
Valve Mechanism of a 4-Cylinder Valve in Head Motor

SOME DIFFERENCE

The "Guy" Does 300% Better Work
With Only Three Parts Per Cylinder

THIS NEW MOTOR IS THE BIGGEST ACHIEVEMENT IN AUTOMOBILE HISTORY—EVERYBODY WANTS A CAR WITH THE ROTARY VALVE MOTOR—THE HACKETT MOTOR CAR COMPANY ARE OFFERED ORDERS FOR MORE CARS THAN THEY CAN BUILD IN THREE YEARS—AN UNUSUAL OPPORTUNITY IS OFFERED HERE FOR INVESTMENT OF SPARE CAPITAL. THE JUDGMENT TO RECOGNIZE "OPPORTUNITY" HAS MADE MANY RICH. MAIL THE COUPON NOW FOR DETAILED INFORMATION.

HACKETT MOTOR CAR CO.,
533-36 Michigan Trust Bldg., Grand Rapids, Mich.
Please let me have complete information concerning the Guy Rotary Valve Motor and the Hackett Motor Car Co., without obligation.

Name

Address

RIVERDALE NEWS

By Our Own Correspondent

Alfred Arnold of Saginaw spent several days last week with Joe VanAlstine.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Harrington and children of southeast of Elm Hall were over Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Harrington.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Rice of near Ithaca were over Sunday guests of Mrs. Wm. Rice.

Mr. and Mrs. James Fisher spent Saturday at Carson City.

Miss Ruth Forquer spent Saturday with friends in Alma.

Miss Mary Holland was home from Alma over Sunday.

Mrs. Walter Brown and Miss Hazel Mobilo were over Sunday guests of Mrs. Mary Church of Ithaca.

W. E. Swope and family and John Young and family have returned from a two weeks' outing at Crystal Lake.

Mrs. Carrie Williams and Mrs. Ray Williams and children spent several days last week with Mrs. Ervin Ditto, east of Elm Hall.

Richard Hisinger of Alma spent Saturday and Sunday with his daughter, Mrs. Oliver Jacques.

Dr. E. M. Highfield and W. E. Swope were in Ithaca Saturday evening on business.

Leo Stacey has been spending the past week with his cousin, Adia Cleveland, in Sumner.

Mrs. Callie Foster and daughter, Edna, visited relatives at Edmore last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Evans of Cedar Lake were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Horton last week.

Mrs. Carrie Tallon and the Misses Iva, Rhea and Leone Tallon of St. Louis were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. Bradley Sunday.

Mrs. L. A. Carmer spent the week end with her daughter, Mrs. Claude Parkinson of Owosso.

Mr. and Mrs. James Fisher and Mrs. Elizabeth Queen spent Sunday at Rock Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Locoy were in St. Louis Monday.

Gratiot county Sunday school convention Saturday and Sunday. Everybody welcome.

Mrs. Elizabeth Queen and Mrs. E. M. Highfield spent Tuesday at Crystal Lake.

Mrs. Melvin Budge and daughter, Elizabeth, of Ann Arbor were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Houck Friday.

Richard Hudson and Frank Rice are working at the Republic truck plant in Alma.

Wm. Harry was in Shepherd last week on business.

Willis LaPaugh of the U. S. Navy is spending his vacation with his mother and other relatives in this vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Manley and children, Mrs. Emma Baker and Miss Mildred Britten spent Sunday at Rock Lake.

Quite a number in this vicinity attended the Redpath chautauqua in Alma this week.

Concrete Telegraph Poles.

The New Zealand government is replacing its wooden telegraph poles and letter box posts with others of reinforced concrete.

WRIGHT SCHOOL

Will Scott and wife of Nebraska, who has been visiting friends and relatives in Alma and this vicinity for the past month, has returned to their home.

Mrs. Frank Webb left for Ohio Monday for a two months' visit. She was accompanied by her niece and family of Toledo.

Little Esther Edwards is spending two weeks with her cousin in Clare.

Mrs. Ed. Wood and two children of Detroit are spending the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Wright. They also entertained their grandson, Vernon Wright, of Detroit last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Mrs. Ed. Vancore, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Vancore and daughter and Mrs. Frank Vancore spent Sunday in Mt. Pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Austin of Alma spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Matt Johnston.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ellis entertained Sunday Mrs. Alf Cohoon and children of Forest Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Smith and family of Alma, Mr. and Mrs. Lynch and Mrs. McIntosh of Saginaw. Violet Lynch, who has been visiting Jessie Ellis for the past three weeks, returned home with them.

Mrs. Birt Mills and children of Port Austin spent last week with her brother, Sam Veeder, and family. They also entertained Miss Aletha Veeder from Clare last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Webb spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Erhman, Sunday accompanied by Mr. Erhman's mother and brother and family they motored to Greendale and spent the day with Mrs. Webb's mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Chet English and family, Mr. and Mrs. E. Damon, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bartley and family and A. Wilks and family were among those that spent Sunday at Crystal Lake.

ELM HALL

Lloyd Ayers entertained his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Ayers, of Lima, Ohio, a few days last week.

Mrs. Wm. Connor is attending a campmeeting and conference at Stanton.

Robert Taylor of Detroit visited with his wife at John Donovan's home a few days last week.

Rev. Watson and family are attending campmeeting and conference at Stanton.

Chas. Stoughton and wife of Coral spent the week end with Mrs. C. A. Pratt.

Mrs. Emma Falkner of Middleton was in town the first of the week visiting her brother, G. W. Andrews, and some of her old friends.

G. W. Andrews and Mrs. Blair have received word that their sons, Eli and Carl, have safely arrived overseas.

The girls' from 11 to 16 year old Sunday school class will meet with Mrs. Elliot Friday afternoon, August 16th.

Knew Whereof They Spoke. Old-fashioned editors were right. It was always time to call a halt on something.—Toledo Blade.

Y. M. C. A. NOTES

The following Y. M. C. A. notes were furnished The Alma Record by L. A. Mardick, county Y. M. C. A. secretary:

General Pershing has officially detailed to the American Y. M. C. A. the entertainment of our soldiers in France. There are now 110 professionals giving vaudeville shows, concerts and entertainments overseas, often under shell fire.

Two million copies of the New Testament, vest pocket size and in water proof covers, are being printed by the Y. M. C. A. for distribution in the army and navy. The edition for the navy is to be bound in blue and the one for the army in green.

Federal Judge E. A. Evans, Wis., ruled that it is illegal to assault the Y. M. C. A. or the Red Cross in holding Louis B. Nagler, former assistant Secretary of State, guilty of violating Section 3 of the Espionage Act when he said that "the Y. M. C. A. and the Red Cross are a bunch of grafters." Judge Evans said that the violation was the same as if he had spoken directly against the naval or military forces of the United States.

Paris, August.—(By mail). "The finest carload of supplies that ever came up to me—and I had to abandon it," said Karl Cato, Y. M. C. A. secretary, when he arrived in Paris, dusty, worn, staggering from exertion and lack of sleep.

"Our station was close to the front, directly in the path of the German advance. I just got my car unloaded when word came that we had to beat it. That car was loaded with American cookies, chocolates, cigarettes, writing paper, chewing gum and cigars. I had a camion and started to load with the idea of getting on as many supplies as possible and saving them. I piled on just one box and then it struck me that the Y. M. C. A. would look pretty rotten totting a carload of supplies back from the front when the roads were full of refugees and there were wounded soldiers coming back in numbers. So I chucked off the box."

He did chuck off the box and put in its place five wounded soldiers whom he had picked up along the way. Every other available inch of space on his camion he jammed with women and children refugees from the invaded territory and set out for the rear.

"As I left I yelled to the American soldiers, 'there's a carload of stuff, go to it. Help yourselves.' And believe me they did."

Cato reached Paris two days later with his camion. He had driven constantly except for the few brief intervals of sleep taken by the roadside.

After a hasty meal, without a bath, without even a chance to dust and refresh himself, he started back to his job to carry what comforts he could to his section of the American soldiers in the battle line.

Ferris Wheel Girls
Dellamead Troupe
Ole Barnfield
Galarmo Sisters
Musical Maidens
Tuesday Night

GREATER
Fair and Races
And Mammoth
Night Show
at 8 o'clock p. m.

Darling's
Trained
Animal
Circus

AT ITHACA, MICHIGAN

August 27, 28, 29, 30, 31

Don't miss the Races Tuesday and the Big Vaudeville Show on the Elevated Stage in front of the Grand Stand at 8 p. m.

Farmers Take Notice

A. D. Bailey, breeder of Registered Coltswoold Sheep, will offer for sale at the Big Breeders' Auction Friday, 9 Registered Rams.

A. Simcox, breeder of Registered Aberdeen-Angus
C. Sachrider, breeder of Registered Durhams
H. Tubbs, of Tubbs Brothers, breeder of Holsteins
V. Tracy, breeder of Registered Durhams and Shropshires
L. Vance, breeder of Registered Chester Whites
C. E. Davis, breeder of Registered Poland China and Duroc Hogs

A. D. Bailey, breeder of Registered Coltswoolds are having great success with the subscriptions for the Big Red Cross Auction. Farmers, Merchants and many others are assisting liberally. Let everybody be at this sale and raise a fund that will make the boys that face the bullets over there feel that the folks back home are appreciative of the service they are rendering to their country.

Many of the farmers are giving sheep and hogs for the Big Sale. Does anyone else feel like giving something to be sold for the benefit of the Red Cross?

A. McCall, Secretary

PREMIUMS

The premiums of 1916 will be paid with few exceptions. Small premiums will be paid in Thrift and War Savings Stamps. Horses, class 1, 1st prize \$4.00; 2nd, \$2.00; every entry. Cattle same as 1916.

Special Premiums

[Gratiot County only]

C. A. Price, Best Span Draft Horses, 3 or 4 years old \$10.00
A. McCall, Best Exhibit of Cattle, any breed \$10.00
E. Altenburg, Fastest Heat made during fair \$10.00
F. VanBuskirk, Running Race for Mules \$10.00

Friday 1/4-mile dash. Now is the time. Boys enter your mules with Fred for the Big Race.

Have all Exhibits on Ground Tuesday—Office open Monday for Entries.

Tony Fox and L. C. Kelly expect to be here with their Big Stock Exhibit which they are getting ready for the International Stock Show at Chicago.

Advertise in the Record Want Column for Results